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MARGINAL COLUMN
By NISSIM REJWAN

It would probably be true to say that, next only to "imperialism" — which remains Colonel Nasser's chief bogey — the term "political parties" has been the most hated and feared of the many "enemies" of the officers' revolution. Taken at its face value, the phobia is somewhat understandable. Although Egypt had a fairly long record of political parties — at least by Middle Eastern standards — these parties were steeped in a degree of corruption that went to the very roots of society. The Court, entirely rotten with corruption, nepotism and intrigues, and possessing the power to make and break Cabinets, had an extremely bad influence on the old parties, all of them desperately hungry for power, despite the fact that many had behind them a clean record of anti-British struggle.

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But the revolution's attitude to political parties is not confined to the old groups and has gradually embraced all shades of political organization — even those which are *a priori* supporters of the régime. Having, for instance, first decided to spare the powerful Moslem Brotherhood — with which the Free Officers actually cooperated before the 1952 *coup d'état* — Nasser later decided to smash it following the attempt on his life in 1954. Moreover, despite promises made in mid-1956 for the formation of an official organization called the National Union — a kind of political party embracing all supporters of the régime — Nasser has so far failed to give the new body any tangible existence, satisfying himself with the appointment of its executive committee and the naming of all deputies of the National Assembly as members.

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The existence of quite a few political parties in pre-U.A.R. Syria was one of the main points thrashed out at the Cairo talks early in January, when Syria's rulers took fright so far as to decide to hand their country over to the Egyptians. It appears that one of the obstacles in the way of a federation — as against full merger — was the difficulty posed by these parties: a federation would have left Nasser with a number of old-established political organizations whose future activities he could not predict or control. He therefore insisted on the suppression of all political groupings in Syria, not excluding those that had been most vocal in their support of the merger and of Nasser's own leadership — the Ba'ath Socialists, the Communists and Assali's own Nationalist Party. The Sha'ab (People's) Party, still the strongest in the country, did not take an active part in these goings-on; but it dutifully announced its own dissolution immediately after the proclamation of the Union — and so did the Ba'athists and the Nationalists.

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The Communists' support for the Union was unequivocal all through. Their leader, Khaled Bakdash, has recently told the Prague paper "Rude Pravo" that the merger was "in line with our policy." Yet, as soon as there was talk of the parties dissolving themselves, Bakdash announced that the Communists will never take this step, "because no Communist Party has ever dissolved itself of its own free will." A few days later Bakdash, accompanied by his family and a number of the Party's top functionaries, suddenly left Damascus for Moscow, reportedly *en route* to New Delhi to attend the Indian Communist Party's congress there. The last that was heard of him was the interview with the Prague daily early this month in which he reiterated that the Syrian Communist Party "will continue its struggle for the Arabs' complete liberation from imperialism" and that the Communists would maintain their activities inside the United Arab Republic. At the same breath, Bakdash revealed that his Party had urged its members to participate in the plebiscite to approve the merger and elect Nasser as U.A.R. President.

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NEVERTHELESS, last Wednesday Nasser, still working from the Guests Palace in Damascus, issued a presidential decree disbanding all existing political parties and confiscating their funds and property in favour of a National Union. Now, apart from the Moslem Brothers, who were expected to go into opposition anyway, the decree's only target are the Communists who have been Nasser's staunch supporters all through. They will perhaps take comfort from the fact that it is not they whom Nasser dislikes so much, but the very concept of political organization. And well he may do so.

Jerusalem, March 15.

Carmel Urges Neutral Line In Foreign Policy

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — The Minister of Transport, Mr. Moshe Carmel, today called for immediate reorientation of Israel's foreign policy towards "non-identification with power blocs" and for the immediate abolition of military government in minority areas. He was addressing the evening session of the Ahdut Ha'avoda Party convention here.

Mr. Carmel attacked the concept of orientation with the "European Union" or with a Mediterranean treaty, declaring that Israel, as a Middle Eastern nation, must integrate with the area. Any other policy would endanger this country's security and put off the chance of peace with the Arab states. No basic differences existed between Israel and her neighbours and "we must wait for the enmity to ebb," he said.

Speaking of external threats, Mr. Carmel declared that Israel must ready herself for armed struggle, not only against Arabs but against all attempts to encroach on her borders. The arms flowing into the U.A.R. from the East, and into the Arab Federation from the West were intended for use against Israel alone, he said, and he saw Mr. Dulles' recent statements as aimed at Israel's territorial integrity, in line with the "infamous Guildhall speech."

Arab Unity

Although he believed that, in essence the process of Arab unification was progressive, Mr. Carmel saw immediate dangers to Israel in the present constellation. This country should oppose any plot to establish a "Palestine Government" in the Gaza Strip, under the former Mufti of Jerusalem, he added. He said that such a provocation might compel us to consider the possibility of "liberation operations" so as to save ourselves in time. Similarly, the new situation called for the establishment of a chain of armed outposts along our frontiers.

Mr. M. Erem, M.K., called on the party to by-pass the Government and establish a public movement to force a change in the present foreign policy. (Earlier story—Page 3.)

Zionist Aims Remain Unchanged—Neumann

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — The aim of Zionism has always been to help preserving Jewish life everywhere by the creation of a national home, and this aim has not changed with the establishment of the State of Israel.

This was the main theme of the opening address delivered by Dr. Emmanuel Neumann, President of the Z.O.A., at the convention of the World Confederation of the General Zionists held at Z.O.A. House tonight.

He was replying to the views expressed by another half of the Confederation, which held a convention in London last week and at which Zionists of the diaspora were urged not to interfere with the political life of Israel. (See p. 3, Col. 3.)

The Confederation which meets here maintains organizational unity with the local General Zionist Party.

Dr. Neumann said he did not mean to interfere with the policy of Israel, but as an adviser he thought there was no place for neutralism in Israel. The place of Israel was unequivocally in the free world.

Without naming the Prime Minister, Dr. Neumann criticized "a certain highly-placed person" who regularly attacked the Zionist Organization in newspaper articles published in the U.S. It was wrong, Dr. Neumann said, to underestimate the powerful ally the State had in Zionist organizations abroad.

The convention was opened by Mr. Y. Serlin, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the General Zionist Party.

Dr. Neumann was on Friday proposed as head of the new Confederation by Mr. Y. Saphir, Chairman of the G.Z. Party, at a luncheon given in honour of the Confederation delegates at Z.O.A. House.

Dr. Neumann said that he would consider the offer, but that he was already overburdened with official duties.

Gaza Council Set Up; Seen as Compromise

GAZA, Saturday (Reuter). — The population today celebrated the inauguration of the first Legislative Council of the 150-square-mile Gaza Strip.

Loudspeaker vans toured the streets, blaring slogans. The inauguration coincides with the first anniversary of the return of Egyptian administration to the Strip following the Sinai campaign.

The Council, which is to advise the Egyptian Governor in running the Strip, consists of 10 Egyptians and 20 local inhabitants.

Abdul Nasser said in a message to the people of Gaza yesterday, "I will never forget you. I consecrate my life for your welfare and the restitution of your homes."

'Refugees' Champion'

By GERDA L. COHEN
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON, Saturday — Today's inauguration of the Gaza Legislative Council was interpreted by some observers here as a compromise enabling Egypt to pose as the champion of the refugees without conferring on them citizenship.

It is considered highly unlikely that Abdul Nasser will grant autonomy, which would imply that the refugee population has legal right to Egyptian nationality or, at any rate, would be regarded as equivalent to permanent residence of the Gaza Strip. Nasser's message to them read at the ceremony inaugurating the Council, pledged a lifelong effort for the restitution of their homes.

Foreign Office circles tended to discredit rumours that it is Egypt's intention to alter the status of the Gaza Strip. They pointed out that these rumours emanated from Beirut, quoting Israel sources.

Nevertheless, it is agreed that the United Arab Republic would very much like to foment trouble for King Hussein of Jordan by enlisting refugee sympathies. Significantly, Cairo is broadcasting reports that a petition has been signed by Palestine refugees, demanding the incorporation of Palestine in Syria.

Field Marshal Abdul Hakim Amer's promotion and heading of the combined U.A.R.-Yemeni forces is seen as the prelude to intensification of Yemeni sorties against the Aden Protectorate, and possibly of offers of aid to Tunisia to equip her forces to replace the French garrisons.

President Habib Bourguiba's threat to sever diplomatic relations with Egypt has been counter-weighted by the Franco-Tunisian deadlock, despite Western attempts to mend the rupture.

The Foreign Office denies knowledge of the Gaillard plan for a Western Mediterranean alliance, refusing to comment on unformulated proposals. But the French Government's "leakage" of the plan has provoked an unsympathetic reaction from the British press regarding cooperation, unless Algeria wins a measure of self-government. The left-wing and independent press has cautioned Nato against proposals designed to endorse French policy in Algeria.

Formal Title For Faisal Today

King Faisal of Iraq is expected to be named today as head of the new Arab Federated State formed by Iraq and Jordan, Reuter reported, quoting informed sources in Baghdad.

A communique announcing the draft constitution for the new states is awaited following the ending of talks in Baghdad between ministerial representatives from both countries.

The sources said that the draft would provide for a parliamentary state which would have two capitals, Baghdad and Amman, and a common flag similar to the present flags of Jordan and Iraq. The inhabitants would become "Arab citizens" and there would be an "Arab Army."

The Arab Legion Commander, Gen. Habes Majali, said in Baghdad yesterday that Iraq would not send troops into Jordan until after announcement of the constitution.

Amman Radio said yesterday that Jordan and Iraq would continue to keep their separate seats in the U.N.

New Solh Gov't Firmly Pro-West

Premier Sami es Solh said yesterday following the formation of his new Government that he would continue his previous policy of cooperating with all Arab states. He said that "Palestine and Algeria" would remain top on the list of priority problems for the new Cabinet.

Solh, who resigned on Wednesday and was asked to form a new Government, announced a list of 14 ministers — largest in Lebanese history. The previous Cabinet had only eight members.

Solh also has the Interior portfolio while Charles Malik remains as Foreign Minister. The Finance Minister is Pierre Edde, Defence Minister is Rashid Baidun, while Majid Arslan, former Defence Minister, becomes Agriculture Minister.

The new Cabinet is believed to be more solidly orientated towards the West. The old Cabinet was said to have been split between a pro-Nasser "neutralist policy," and the Premier's own line of close cooperation with the West, especially the U.S.

(ANA, UP)

Shah's Marriage Dissolved

TEHERAN, Saturday.— The dissolution of the marriage of the Shah and Queen Soraya on account of childlessness was announced here yesterday in a communique from the Royal Court.

Court officials said that Queen Soraya would receive 10m. rials (about £47,000), representing her marriage portion, as well as a pension, and would keep all the jewellery the Shah had given her except the crown jewels.

They said the Shah had looked sad since the decision was taken and it was unlikely he would feel like remarrying immediately. He will probably take the necessary steps for his third marriage after his visit to Japan, Formosa and the U.S. in May.

It was certain the Shah would marry again. He had a daughter by his first wife, the Egyptian Princess Fawzia, and divorced her when she failed to produce a son. Soraya had no children.

High court officials were expected shortly to begin considering the choice of a Persian girl from a non-Gajar family, the dynasty deposed by the Shah's father, to become Queen after a medical check-up.

Soraya, now in Cologne, Germany, is not expected to return to Persia and will possibly go to the U.S. for a visit.

Soraya today issued a statement from the Persian Embassy in Cologne, saying she had agreed to dissolution of her marriage "for the good of the country."

(Reuter, UP)

Son Born to Prince Rainier of Monaco

MONACO, Saturday (Reuter). — Prince Rainier of Monaco, carrying his little daughter, Princess Caroline, waved from the balcony of his cliff top palace today to the population who came to pay homage to his son, born yesterday.

At 10.50 a.m. yesterday, Princess Grace, the former Hollywood film star, Grace Kelly, gave birth to a boy who was named Prince Albert Alexander Louis Pierre.

KNESSET COMMITTEE MEETS TOMORROW

The meeting of the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Security Committee, which was originally scheduled for Tuesday, will be held at noon tomorrow at the Knesset with the participation of the Director-General of the Ministry of Defence.

Jakarta, Rebel Armies Both Claim Gains

JAKARTA, Saturday (Reuter). — The Indonesian Army, grappling with rebel forces in central Sumatra, announced yesterday that they had captured Dumari, a Caltex Oil Company terminal on the east coast, and were in "full control" of all the oil fields in that area. There was no mention of any resistance from rebel troops.

The rebels claimed, over Padang Radio, to have "trapped and surrounded" the Central Government paratroopers dropped at Pakan Baru in the centre of Sumatra on Wednesday. They also said two vessels bringing reinforcements to the paratroopers were sunk by bazooka fire. They also claimed to have shot down three warplanes.

Government warships yesterday shelled Padang in an attempt to destroy the harbour installations, wrecking some houses and wounding several persons, the rebels claimed.

Students marched through the streets of Jakarta yesterday with banners saying, "Hands off Indonesia."

Premier K. Djuanda said earlier yesterday that American-made arms had been air-dropped to the rebels in Central Sumatra, the Indonesian PIA news agency reported. The arms could have been purchased by private persons who had become "stooges of the rebels," he added.

A parliamentary committee yesterday reported failure to restore political unity between President Sukarno and Dr. Mohammed Hatta, anti-Communist former Vice-President whom the rebels want brought into the Central Government.

Israel Envoy Sees French Premier

By MAURICE CARR
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

PARIS, Saturday. — Premier Felix Gaillard, acting as Foreign Minister during M. Christian Pineau's absence in Manila, received the Israel Chargé d'Affaires, Mr. Mordechai Shneerson, for half an hour yesterday.

The reason for the meeting was not disclosed, but it must have been important, for M. Gaillard is overwhelmed with work and is able to attend personally only to the most pressing business.

In the last of 10 articles appearing in the Socialist daily, "Populaire," and giving the impressions of his recent visit to Israel with a parliamentary delegation, Senator Bernard Chochoy writes:

"What moved me most was the gratitude which Israel and her people bear to France. Israelis remember. They have faithful memories. They sincerely love France. Let us spare nothing to develop and strengthen this friendship between our two countries, animated by the same ideal of liberty. In so doing we shall serve a just, noble cause. Israel has won the right to live. The free world would commit a monstrous error in not standing guard over her existence."

SHIP SINKS

CAIRO, Saturday (Reuter). — The 5,500-ton Panamanian ship Nadir sank yesterday near the entrance to Alexandria harbour. The crew of 35 were rescued.

Soviets Would Ban Outer Space For War if West Scraps Bases

U.S.: Will Not By-Pass U.N.

WASHINGTON, Saturday (Reuter). — The U.S. said in an official statement today that disarmament discussions should not be held at the summit level unless they were linked to procedures through the U.N.

Pineau: West Agreed On New Procedure

PARIS, Saturday (Reuter). — The Big Three Western powers have agreed on a new procedure for the arrangement of an East-West summit conference, Foreign Minister Christian Pineau said here today.

M. Pineau, returning from the SEATO conference, told reporters the agreement was reached during his talks in Manila with the British and U.S. Foreign Ministers.

Usually reliable sources said the procedure consisted of discussions through diplomatic channels which would precede a Foreign Ministers conference.

A State Department statement strongly criticised objections voiced yesterday by the Soviet Foreign Ministry to discussions in the U.N. Disarmament Commission.

The Department disclosed that an approach had been made to Soviet representatives at the U.N. seeking an early resumption of disarmament talks, and it said this approach had the backing of a number of other U.N. members.

"Despite the fact that the Soviets have indicated an intention to boycott such a meeting, we believe the Disarmament Commission should meet in the light of the action of the General Assembly," the Department said.

"The U.S. also informed the U.S.S.R. that if it was found that owing to Soviet non-participation the Disarmament Commission could not usefully pursue serious discussions, the Security Council should hold a procedural meeting in order to provide a proper link between the U.N. and any subsequent disarmament discussions."

The purpose of Security Council consideration would be to give this body the opportunity to take procedural action designed to lead to an early resumption of disarmament discussions through other channels.

Rather than creating obstacles in the way of future disarmament talks, the Department said, "This procedure would ease the way to and enhance the possibility of meaningful talks."

The State Department added that the Soviet Union purported to favour a heads of government meeting to consider urgent international problems, including disarmament. "We are prepared to participate in a high-level meeting provided prior preparations indicate that it would result in reaching agreements," the statement said.

Spain Curbs Rights Of Striking Miners

MADRID, Saturday (UP).— The Spanish Government today suspended major civil rights in all coal-mining regions to combat spreading strikes. This, in effect, declared a state of emergency.

The suspended rights included those of free movement, freedom from home search without judicial authorization and that of habeas corpus.

The Government minced no words in its announcement, but said the rights were suspended because of "the situation created by the illegal paralysis of work in certain coal mines in the Asturias region."

At least four mines in Spain's industrial north have been closed by strikes for pay boosts, and sympathy slowdowns are reported in other areas. An estimated 5,000 miners have quit work. The strikes started early this month.

Nasser and Kuwatly Visit Aleppo

Abdul Nasser and ex-President Kuwatly of Syria arrived in Aleppo yesterday, according to Damascus Radio.

They were accompanied by Nasser's four Deputy Presidents. Nasser and Kuwatly immediately launched a series of speeches to crowds in the streets.

According to a presidential decree issued in Damascus, Maj.-Gen. Afif Bizri, former Syrian Chief of Staff who is now Commander of the U.A.R. Army, has been promoted to full General.

(Damascus R., UP)

15 French Police Killed in Ambush

ALGIERS, Saturday (Reuter).—Fifteen mobile policemen were killed and five others wounded yesterday when Algerian insurgents ambushed their lorry near Meda, south of Algiers, military quarters said here today. Of the 15 dead, 12 were Moslems.

BONN STATEMENT

BONN, Saturday (Reuter).— The West German Government will continue to advocate by all means available that the German question be dealt with at any summit conference, it was officially announced here today.

Labour By-Election Victory Hurts Tories

GLASGOW, Saturday (Reuter). — A middle-aged Glasgow housewife, Mrs. Mary Macalister, dealt the Conservative government's dwindling prestige a big blow here by capturing its parliamentary seat at Kelvingrove for the Labour Party.

The vote, announced overnight, was: Mrs. Macalister 10,210 votes; Mrs. Katherine Elliot (Conservative) 8,850 votes; Mr. David Murray (Liberal) 1,622, and Mr. William Park (Independent Labour Party) 587.

HARMAN CHOSEN FOR JOINT HEALTH BODY

UNITED NATIONS, Saturday (INA). — Mrs. Zena Harman, Israel's representative on the U.N. International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) was yesterday elected UNICEF's delegate to the Joint Committee on Health Policy.

New Bid for Summit Talks

MOSCOW, Saturday (Reuter). — The Soviet Union today proposed a four-point plan for summit discussions which would prohibit the use of outer space for war purposes and the use of foreign military bases.

The Soviet proposals were outlined at a press conference at the Foreign Ministry.

The statement also proposed establishment of a United Nations body to maintain international control over such an agreement, and the creation of a second U.N. body to coordinate in international research in outer space.

Research at present being carried out under the International Geophysical Year programme should be made into a permanent feature.

The four points in the new Soviet proposal are:

1. Prohibition of the use of outer space for military purposes and an undertaking by states to launch rockets only in accordance with an agreed international programme.
2. Elimination of foreign military bases from the territory of other states, first and foremost from Europe, the Middle East and North Africa.
3. Establishment within the framework of the U.N. of adequate international control over the implementation of the commitments of Points 1 and 2.
4. The creation of U.N. body for international cooperation in the field of outer space research.

To Fight Disease

Turning to the possibility of cooperation to fight disease and drought and develop desert regions, the statement said: "Agreement (as proposed now by the Soviet Government) would pave the way for broad international cooperation in combatting by joint efforts such calamities as floods, drought and hurricanes, which cause considerable damage to all nations.

"It would make it possible to launch a common onslaught on the deserts and wrest them from nature for peaceful and creative endeavours and would help to pool efforts for a resolute fight against the disorders which take a toll of millions of human lives."

The statement said the U.S. proposal to ban the use of cosmic space for military purposes was "to ward off a retaliatory nuclear blow through cosmic space while maintaining its numerous military bases on foreign territories intended for attacking the Soviet Union.

"Needless to say, the Soviet Government cannot agree to this approach to the problem which takes into account the security interests of some states and ignores the security interests of others."

In New York yesterday, the Soviet U.N. delegate, Mr. Arkady Sobolev, called on the U.S. delegation shortly after the Soviet Foreign Ministry had announced it would negotiate disarmament only at a summit conference.

Outlines Position

American sources said Mr. Sobolev outlined the Russian position to the chief U.S. delegate, Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge, and to the American disarmament negotiator, Mr. James Wadsworth.

It was not immediately clear what effect the position taken by the Russians would have on Western plans to summon the 25-nation Disarmament Commission into session around the end of this month.

Russia said yesterday she would refuse to negotiate on disarmament in the U.N. and that an East-West summit conference was the "only proper forum." A Soviet Foreign Ministry statement charged that Western efforts to restart U.N. Disarmament Commission talks were attempts to "distract" attention.

There was no immediate official reaction in Washington to the Soviet declaration but the British Foreign Office described it as "distorted." A Foreign Office spokesman said that a Security Council meeting which the West would have called if the Russians continued to boycott the Disarmament Commission would have gone ahead to approve disarmament negotiations through other channels, including a possible summit meeting.

Russians Promised Better Life

MOSCOW, Saturday (Reuter). — Russians go to the polls tomorrow to elect 1,364 candidates for both Houses of the Supreme Soviet — the Russian Parliament.

Electors have no choice of candidates, who are selected by the Communist Party and workers' organizations, and they may either approve or disapprove nominees. At the last elections in 1954, about 120 million persons voted. Election day has been declared a public holiday and polling booths will be open from 6 a.m. to midnight.

In a keynote election speech last night, the Communist Party leader, Mr. Nikita Khrushchev, promised Russians more consumer goods and a "more beautiful life." He also promised that more would be done for women, especially in the home.

Mr. Khrushchev was making his last major declaration before polling, to an audience of about 16,000 Muscovites in the Lenin Stadium.

The Supreme Soviet's life is four years and the next convocation will be faced with major issues — such as summit talks — the question of greater democratic freedom in the trade unions, and overall improvement in clothing, food and consumer goods.

Mr. Khrushchev said the Government and the Communist Party had worked out plans to end the housing shortage within the next 10 to 12 years. He said the construction of skyscrapers had been given up because it had proven too costly.

Mr. Khrushchev said foreign visitors were quite justified in criticizing one aspect of Soviet life — women working with picks and shovels cleaning roads and pavements. It was unthinkable he added, that Russia, which had invented and launched the Sputniks, should not be able to provide the necessary machinery to mechanize such tasks and thus ease the work of women.

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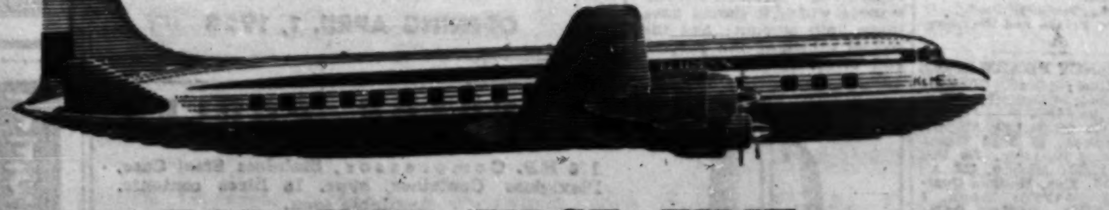

Social & Personal

The Japanese Ambassador, Mr. K. Nagishi, attended an evening devoted to the culture of Japan, held under the auspices of the Haifa Labour Council on Friday night. Mr. Y. Almogi, the Council Secretary, and Dr. H. Gamzu, the critic, spoke.

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Mr. Milton Faber, chairman of the Chicago drive for the School of Pharmacy of the Hebrew University, and Mrs. Faber, visited the University on Friday and were guests of honour at a University lunch.

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A farewell reception was held for Mrs. Y. Dushkin at the Nearim Youth Village near Kfar Vitkin yesterday, on the completion of her term as the project's first Chairman.

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The Judiciary Nominations Committee has appointed Mr. Aharon Simcha to the Jerusalem Magistrates Court. Mr. Simcha will take up his new post after taking the oath of office from the President.

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Mr. Herbert Goldstein, of New York, has been appointed chairman of the board of directors and general manager of the Sonol (Israel) Oil Company. He will replace Mr. L. Grigonis on July 1. Mr. S. Alcalay will be his deputy. Mr. and Mrs. Goldstein are due from the U.S. today.

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The Haifa Rotary Club elected as its officers for 1958/59 Messrs. David Freeman, President; L. A. Krokin, Secretary; E. Cox, Treasurer; B. Herman, Assistant Secretary; S. A. Agranat, A. Akavia, M. Ibrahim and E. S. Teitsch, Directors.

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The Belgian Minister, M. Amaury Holvoet, will address the Skal Club of Mt. Carmel on "The Brussels World Exhibition 1958" at the Zion Hotel tomorrow.

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Beit Hillel Film Club, Jerusalem. Tonight "Good-Bye Mr Chips." For members only.

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UNVEILING OF TOMBSTONE

A visit to the graveside of the late curator of the Bezalel Museum, Mordechai Narkiss, and the unveiling of the tombstone, will take place today (Sunday) at 3.30 p.m. on Har Hamenuhot. Buses will leave the Bezalel Museum at 3.15 p.m.

Haifa to Publish 'Banned' Rates

HAIFA, Saturday. — At an emergency meeting yesterday the city executive decided to go ahead with the publication of the new tax rates, despite the statement of the Minister of the Interior that he would not approve them. The law requires any change in municipal rates to be announced to the public 15 days before they go into force.

The city executive took its decision after consultation with other mayors whose municipal councils have similarly raised their rates.

Under the law, the Town Council must approve any changes in the tax rates which the Minister introduces, while the Minister must approve any council decision on taxes, before they become legally valid. The position now, therefore, is that there is no legally binding taxation order at all.

Cinemas

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At 3.30, 6.30 & 8.30 p.m.

ARNON: Interlude.
EDEN: The Last Time I Saw Paris.
TEL OR: Il Momento Piu Bello.
ORION: Simon and Laura.
ORNA: Stopover Tokyo.
RON: Wonder Man.
OR GIL: Love In The Afternoon.
ZION HALL: Three Men In A Boat.
EDISON: A Cry In The Night.
STUDIO: Night People.

TEL AVIV

ALLENBY: The Admirable Crichton.
ARMON DAVID: Porte des Lilas.
CHEN: Scandal in Milano.
EDEN: King of Youth.
ESTHER: A Man is Ten Feet Tall.
GAT: Battle Hymn.
MERKAZ: La Meme Vert de Gris.
MAXIM: The King and Four Queens.
MIGDALOR: The Bolshoi Ballet.
MOGRABI: Les Mains Sales.
OPHIR: Et Dieu... Crea la Femme.
ORION: The Prince and the Showgirl.
PEER: An American in Paris.
SHDEROTH: La Strada.
TAMAR: The Cranes are Flying.
TCHELET: Piroschka.
TEL AVIV: Peyton Place.
YARON: For Whom The Bell Tolls.
ZAMIR: Bonsoir Paris — Bonjour L'amour.
ZAFON: Ich Und Meine Frau.

HAIFA

AMPHITHEATRE: Bernardine.
ORAH: Et Dieu... Crea La Femme.
GAL OR: Il Passo de Campanelli.
ORION: Flood Tide. Mats.: East of Sumatra.
ATZMON: Madame Butterfly.
MORIAH: Trial.
PEER: Boot Polish.
ARMON: The Life of Mozart.
EN DOR: 20,000 Leagues Under The Sea.
ORLY: The Bachelor Party.
MAY: The Prince and the Showgirl.

EMERGENCY PHARMACIES

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EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS

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TEL AVIV: Dr. Shalom, 1 [illegible]

LAW REPORT

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In the Supreme Court Sitting as High Court of Justice

Before the President (Justice Olshan), Justices Goitein and Berinson.

Michel Menas v. The Tel Aviv-Jaffa Mayor & Municipal Council, etc. (H.C. 139/57).

Ban on Sale of Pork in Whole Tel Aviv-Jaffa Area Not Unreasonable

The High Court discharged part and made absolute part of an order nisi calling on the Mayor and Municipal Council of Tel Aviv-Jaffa to show cause why they should not refrain from preventing Michel Menas from selling pork products in his butcher-shop in Neveh Shalom, Jaffa, and why they should not return the 400 kgs. of pork confiscated from the petitioner's shop.

Mr. Menas is a Christian who owns a pork butcher-shop in a largely Jewish district in Jaffa. He bought the shop in 1954, and in 1955 and 1956 was granted the necessary permits to sell pork in his shop.

In 1956 he received a permit under section 3(b) of a Tel Aviv-Jaffa Municipal by-law regulating the sale of pork. This by-law, which was made in 1954, stipulated, amongst other things, that pork could be sold only in the area of a public market and only by those in possession of permits issued by the Mayor. This by-law was subsequently declared ultra vires by the High Court of Justice, and the petitioner continued selling pork without any permit.

Then, in December, 1956, the Knesset passed a law empowering local authorities to restrict or prohibit the sale of pork products in their regional districts. Section 2 of this law provides that a local authority may restrict or prohibit the sale of pork in the whole of the region under its jurisdiction or in any part of the region, provided that any such restriction or prohibition should apply indiscriminately to all the inhabitants of the region or of part of the region.

Section 6 of this same law gives legal validity to any by-law made prior to its enactment on condition that the by-law would have been legally valid if the law had already been in force when it was made.

Indiscriminate Ban

Subsequent to the enactment of this law by the Knesset, the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Municipal Council made a by-law prohibiting the sale of pork products in the whole of the Tel Aviv-Jaffa municipal area, and this despite the Minister of the Interior's having drawn the attention of the Mayor to the fact that there were many Jews, Moslems and Christians living in the municipal area for whom the consumption of pork was part and parcel of their way of life, and having recommended that it would be only fair, in consequence, to apply the terms of section 2 of the law and allow the sale of pork in some districts of the city.

Section 9 of this latter by-law, which came into effect on June 18, 1957, specifies that no punitive measures, in the nature of sequestration or confiscation, would be taken against any person contravening the provisions of the by-law within 42 days of its coming into force, if on the eve of its coming into force that person had been legally entitled to sell pork products. Nevertheless, on July 8, less than a month after the by-law came into force, nearly 400 kgs. of pork were confiscated from Mr. Menas's shop by two municipal inspectors and subsequently destroyed.

Mr. Menas applied to the High Court for an order nisi, basing his application on the contention that the municipal by-law is unreasonable in that, amongst other things, it is "partial and unequal in its operation as between different classes or groups of citizens of the state; that it involves such oppressive and gratuitous interference with the rights of those subject to it as could find no justification in the minds of reasonable men (which criteria of unreasonableness were laid down in the leading case of Kruse v. Johnson), and is ultra vires the enabling law."

The petitioner complained further that the confiscation of his meat was contrary to the terms of section 9 of the by-law.

The order nisi was granted on July 31, 1957.

On the return day, the respondents' Counsel argued that the by-law could not be challenged on the grounds of unreasonableness as it was made by virtue of powers conferred upon the Council by the enabling law enacted by the Knesset. As to the confiscation of the meat, he maintained that this had been lawful as the petitioner had not been legally entitled to sell pork products on the eve of the coming into force of the by-law as he had not obtained a permit in accordance with section 3(b) of the previous by-law which had acquired legal validation by virtue of section 6 of the law passed by the Knesset in December, 1956.

Mr. Barak appeared for the petitioner and Mr. Silbiger and Mrs. Dinai for the respondents.

Judgment

The president, who delivered the main judgment of the High Court, said that the first question to be considered is the extent to which the High Court may pay attention to an allegation of unreasonableness with regard to a municipal by-law made on the strength of discretionary powers conferred by the Knesset. In deciding this question, he continued, a distinction must be drawn between two different allegations of unreasonableness: one aimed at the fact that the municipal council used — or failed to use — the discretionary powers conferred on it by the enabling law in disregard of certain circumstances which it should have taken into account; and the second attacking the purpose and effect of the by-law as not being on all fours with that envisaged by the enabling law — in other words the allegation that a by-law is so unreasonable as to be *ultra vires*.

In general, the president continued, the court will not interfere in the first case, for once a municipal council is empowered by law to make certain by-laws, only they have the power to weigh up the existing circumstances and decide whether they justify the use of the powers conferred upon them or not. (see H.C. 339/52, Psakim 12/283; and De Prato v. Provost of Partick, 1907 A.C. 153). The court will only interfere when the by-law does not conform with the intentions of the enabling law.

In the present case, therefore, if the allegation of unreasonableness is aimed at the respondents' failure to exercise the discretion conferred upon them in section 2 of the enabling law and declare certain districts of the Tel Aviv-Jaffa area as not subject to the ban on the sale of pork products — then the court would not intervene, as long as it were not shown that the respondents had overstepped the powers conferred on them by the enabling law.

The next question to be considered, therefore, the president held, is whether the disputed by-law is so unreasonable as to be *ultra vires* — which entailed consideration of the enabling law. After due consideration of the latter, he held that one of its chief features is that it prohibits any discrimination in the operation of a by-law as between different national, racial or religious sects and makes the restrictions or prohibitions against the sale of pork territorial rather than personal.

All or None

In other words, if a municipal council should decide in its by-law that the ban against the sale of pork should not apply to a certain district, then all the inhabitants of that district, irrespective of creed or religion, would be entitled to sell pork. On the other hand, if a municipal council should decide to apply the ban in a certain district then each and every inhabitant of that district, irrespective of whether his creed or religion allows him to eat pork, would be forbidden to sell pork.

The president then discussed the by-law and Mr. Barak's arguments in the light of this feature of the enabling law and came to the conclusion that the by-law did not in any way discriminate against the Christian community, did not interfere with the religious practices of the Christian community and did not unduly interfere with the liberty of the individual, whether Christian or non-observant Jew. In short, he held, it was not unreasonable to the point of being *ultra vires*.

Turning next to the second part of the petitioner's complaint — that the confiscation of his meat had been unlawful — the president considered the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Municipal by-law of 1954 and held that because of the provision requiring any person wishing to sell pork to obtain a permit, it contained a personal — as opposed to a territorial — restriction. For this reason, if the law passed by the Knesset in 1956 had been in force when this particular by-law was made, the by-law would not have been valid because it would have been *ultra vires*.

That being the case, the president held, the fact that the petitioner did not have a permit to sell pork when the new municipal by-law came into effect in 1957 did not mean that he was not lawfully entitled to sell pork, since the provision requiring him to obtain a permit would not have been valid in any case. The respondents had, therefore, not been entitled to confiscate his meat earlier than 42 days after the new by-law had come into effect and their having done so was unlawful. In this respect, therefore, the order nisi should be made absolute.

Justice Berinson

Justice Berinson agreed with the president that the municipal by-law is not unreasonable but took exception to the latter's division of unreasonableness into two categories. He saw no reason, he said, for departing from the principle adopted by the courts of England and the U.S. of invalidating a subsidiary law either because it is unreasonable or because it is ultra vires — the two reasons being completely distinct and separate from each other, and that particularly in the present case where there is no unreasonableness whatsoever in the by-law under consideration whatever the criterion applied. The only unreasonableness appeared to be in Mr. Barak's opinion that the Tel Aviv Council should declare the petitioner's shop to be a special area not subject to the ban against the sale of pork products and the old adage that people in glass houses should not throw stones would appear to be very apt in his case.

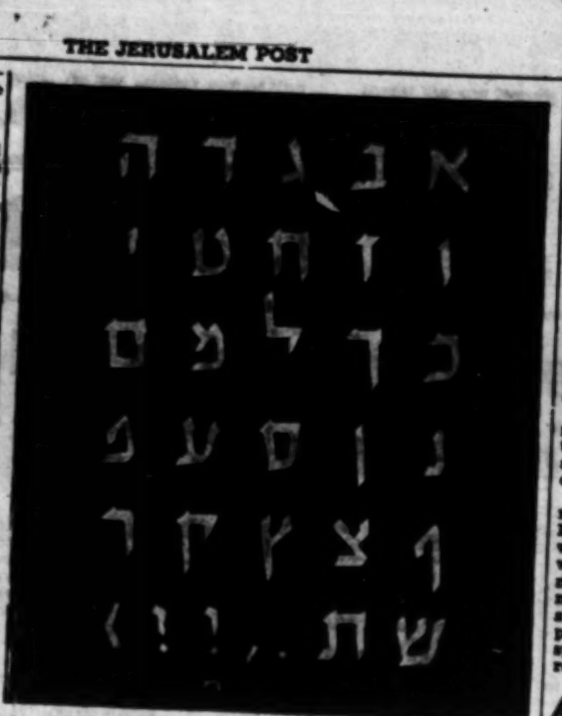
The position might have been different, Justice Berinson continued, if it had been proved that certain districts in the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Municipal area — and that in which the petitioner's shop is located in particular — are populated exclusively, or mainly, by people who are interested in buying and eating pork. In such a case it might have been argued that the Knesset had not intended giving the Council the power to interfere unnecessarily with the way of life and the eating habits of those residents who have no prejudices against the consumption of pork and for this reason had given them the power contained in section 2 to exclude certain districts from the ban. This had not been proved, however, and certainly not in the case of the district in which the petitioner's shop is located. The by-law could not therefore be disqualified on this score.

Both Justice Berinson and Justice Goitein agreed that only that part of the order nisi dealing with the confiscation of the petitioner's meat should be made absolute.

No order as to costs.

Judgment given on February 27, 1958.

JEWELLERY valued at IL 10,000 was stolen from the flat of Israel Rickman of Ramat Gan on Thursday night by thieves who entered through an open window.



New Script adapted from lettering found in Dead Sea Scrolls is to be used by Tenth Anniversary Exhibition. The design is by Noah Ofir. Note that serifs at top of letters "yod" and "nun" face in the opposite direction from letters currently in use.

Dutch Protestants Buy Bonds

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

AMSTERDAM (By Air Mail). — A Committee of Protestant clergymen has been formed in Holland to stimulate the purchase of Israel Bonds by Protestant organizations.

"One of the best proofs of confidence is giving a loan," the Rev. H. J. Kater said at a press conference in Amsterdam last week. "Christians in Holland must give such a sign of confidence in Israel by subscribing to its Development Loan," the Rev. Kater, whose weekly five-minute topical radio-talks are quite popular, told the press.

"It often happens that trustees of Christian funds must somehow invest them. Let them invest these funds partly in Israel Bonds," he urged.

The plan of this campaign — which will last until July — has sprung up spontaneously among a number of Protestant clergymen. Three of them, the Rev. Frits Kuiper (Mennonite), the Rev. H. Dekker, Chairman of the Dutch Reformed Council for Church and Israel, and the Rev. C. J. Sikkel, Chairman of the Gereformeerde Deputation Mission Among the Jews, have constituted a committee.

The clergymen do not wish to adduce economic arguments for this loan, but recall Jeremiah, who bought a field near Jerusalem when the troops of Nebuchadnezar were already near the gates. They added that they do not, however, want to suggest that investors will incur a risk even remotely similar to that of Jeremiah in his time.

Where to go

• **Meet the Israeli:—**
Tourists invited to meet Israelis at home. Information at Government Tourist Office, Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa.

JERUSALEM

• **Zoo:—**
Jerusalem Biblical Zoo, 8.30-5.

• **Exhibitions:—**
1) Permanent Exhibition of Jewish Ceremonial Art. 2) Ancient Pottery from various civilisations from the museum's collections. 3) A preview of Primitive Sculpture. 4) Contemporary English graphics. 5) "Who Was Rembrandt?" 6) Mordechai Narkiss Memorial Exhibition. Bezalel, 9-1, 3.30-5.

Permanent Exhibition of Antiquities. Recent finds: marble statue of Nemesis. Department of Antiquities, 35 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech, 9-1, 3-5.

Paintings by Jerusalem Artists, for sale up to IL100. Artists House, 10-1, 4-6.

• **Memorial Meeting:—**
Lecture by Dr. Yigael Yadin on "Canaanite and Israelite Art at Hazor" (with slides); Eulogy by Mr. E. Dobkin, Member of the Jewish Agency Executive, at the Memorial Meeting to be held at the Bezalel National Museum, tonight, at 8.30, on the occasion of the first anniversary of the death of Mordechai Narkiss.

• **Tours:—**
Hebrew University Conducted Tour (in English), daily 10 a.m. Administration Bldg., New University Campus. Every Tuesday leaving Administration Bldg. 11 a.m. a visit to Hebrew University Hadassah Medical School in New Medical Centre, Ein Karem. Phone (until Monday) 62980 for bookings.

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• **Lecture:—**
Dr. Emanuel Velikowsky, "The Plagues of Egypt, according to an Eye-witness Account in the Papyrus of Epuwer." Beeri Club, 9 Rehov Alharizi, 8.30.

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• **Z.O.A. House:—**
Tourist Service (9-9): Mrs. Ellen Taylor: Film Presentation, "Marian Anderson" (8.30).

• **Circus:—**
Medrano, Malchei Yisrael, two performances, 4.30, 8.30.

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TIVON

• **Theatre:—**
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before Passover
during Passover
after Passover
NAHARIYA

230,000 Diaspora Youth Organized

There are 230,000 young people organized in youth movements in the Diaspora which come under the aegis of the Youth and Hechalutz Department of the World Zionist Organization. This was revealed during the deliberations on the work of this Department amongst Jewish youth in those countries at the plenary meeting of the Jewish Agency Executive on Friday, the Jewish Agency spokesman announced.

Some 31,000 belong to pioneer youth movements, 41,200 to unaffiliated Zionist groups and 157,000 are members of other movements.

The pioneer youth movements are strongest in the Latin American countries with a membership of 10,500, while the general youth movements have the largest numbers in the English-speaking countries, 145,000, plus 6,000 in the French-speaking countries and Europe.

A Model of Things To Come Sent to Railways

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA, Saturday. — A complete working model of a diesel freight train arrived by air in Lydda this week for the Israel Railways.

For exhibition at the Tenth Anniversary Show in Jerusalem, the train includes seven freight cars, a guards van, tracks and the engine, which is 18 inches long. It was made by the General Motors Corporation, and the locomotive is a scale model of the three real engines that will be supplied to the Railways by the Company in time for the new summer train schedule.

ON THE AIR

FIRST PROGRAMME
532, 340, 33.3 & 41.7 M.

News: Hebrew: 6.35, 7.00 & 7.55 a.m.; 1.30, 5.00, 7.00, 9.00, 11.00 p.m.

English: 1.45 p.m. **French:** 2.00 p.m.

6.30 a.m. Service (R). 6.37 Exercises. 6.47 Musical Clock (R). 7.15 Morning Melodies.

12.00 N. Lunchtime Music — Soloists: The Terriers (Vocalists). 12.30 Woman's Corner. 12.45 Light Classical Music: Oboe Concerto (Cimarosa); Ballet Suite (Lully). 1.20 Messages to Immigrants.

4.00 News Summaries in English, Swedish and Spanish. 5.05 "Perpetuum Mobile." 5.30 Youth Corner. 6.00 "We Present Tonight." 6.05 Popular Songs & Tunes. 6.30 "My Most Interesting Meeting." 6.40 Oriental Request Programme. 7.15 "At the Piano": Shlomo Arjevsky. 7.35 From the Sports Field. 8.00 Light Music. 8.20 Round Table. 8.55 Bible Reading: Psalms, Chap. 119. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.30 Concert by I.P.O. — Overture "Ruy Blas" (Mendelssohn); Piano Concerto No. 2 in C-minor, op. 18 (Rachmaninoff). 10.15 "Theatre Evenings." 10.45 Jazz.

SECOND PROGRAMME
422, 460, 292.7, 41.7 & 33.3 M.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR: 6.00 "We Present Tonight." 6.05 Music for Sunday.

7.00 French. 7.30 Yiddish. 8.00 Rumanian. 8.15 Hungarian. 8.30 Ladino. 9.00 Interval. 9.15 Hebrew Lesson. 9.30 News in Easy Hebrew. 9.45 Polish. 10.00 News in English.

ARABIC PROGRAMME
467 & 41.07 M.

Arabic Programme (including News), 6.30—7.15 a.m. 1.15—2.15 and 5.30—9.45 p.m.

KOL ZION LAGOLA (33.3 M.): Programme to South Africa: 6.30 News. 6.43 "Sunday Column" — Walter Eytan. 6.50 On T.A. Mothercraft Training Centre. 7.00 Children's Choir. 7.15 Yiddish.

Programme to the U.K.: 11.30 News. 11.43 "Sunday Column" — Walter Eytan. 11.50 "Land of the Bible." 12.15 Religious Life in Israel.

ARMY PROGRAMME (48.4, 216, 225 & 235 M.): 6.30 Opening. 6.35 Songs. 7.00 News. 7.15 Sport. 7.35 News from the Record Library. 8.00 "For Your Information." 8.15 "This Evening's Star." 8.25 Your Favourites. 9.00 News. 9.15 Weekly Announcements. 9.45 Dance Music. 10.30 Close Down.

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7.15-7.45 p.m. News. News Talk. International Commentary. Sports Round-Up.

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Notre Dame de France (St. Paul's St.), M.S. 9 a.m. Languages, French, English, German, Italian.

American Gospel Church (Prophets St., near Bikur Holim). Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Mid-week Prayers: Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. Minister L.F. Irish.

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NAZARETH

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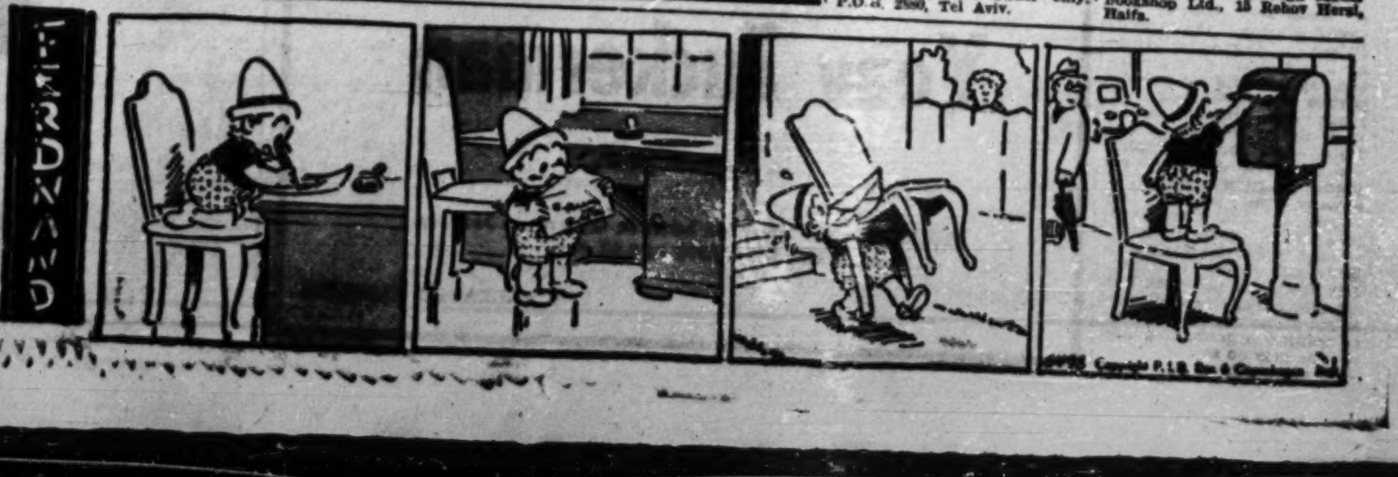

Today's Postbag

The Weather

FORECAST: Fair.

	°A	B	C	D
Mt. Cana'an	52	3	11	13
Tiberias	60	9	20	21
Haifa Port	63	9	17	19
Natanya	59	8	20	21
Tel Aviv Port	63	9	17	18
Lydda Airport	60	6	19	20
Jerusalem	19	4	14	15
Beersheba	37	4	19	20
Sdom	33	13	25	25
Eilat	36	12	25	25

°A) Humidity at 8 p.m. B) Minimum temp. yesterday. C) Maximum yesterday. D) Maximum temp. expected today.

ARRIVALS

Archbishop George Hakim, Head of the Greek Orthodox community in Israel, from a visit to Italy and France. (by B.E.A.).

Dr. Harris Lewin, New York, Deputy President of Z.O.A.; Rabbi S.M. Zambursky, President of Mizrahi in Canada; Mr. Jacob Bronfman, of the Argentine, all to participate in the meeting of the Actions Committee of the Zionist General Council.

Sir Lewis and Lady Namier, as guests of Yad Weizmann, to take part in the first meeting of the editorial board of the Weizmann Archives to be held in Rehovot on March 31.

Mr. George Backer, former publisher of "The New York Post" and one of the Chairmen of the U.S. Tenth Anniversary Committee, and Mrs. Backer, as guests of the Weizmann Institute.

Mr. Danny Flannagan, editor of the "Scientific American," and Mr. M.R. Farney and Mr. D.G. Nelson, television photographers, from the U.S. as guests of the Tenth Anniversary Committee.

Mr. H. Lewis, Chairman of the London Committee of the U.J.A., for discussions about the campaign in Britain.

Professor H.H. Gollwitzer, of the West Berlin University; Dr. A. Freudenberg, of Badvaibel, Chairman of the Jewish-Christian Cooperation Society, as guests of the Shilumim Corporation. (all by El Al).

M. Raymond Rouleau and Nichol Stephan, French theatre producers, in connection with the proposed film on the life of Theodor Herzl. (all by El Al).

Mr. and Mrs. Neville Blond and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sieff from London.

DEPARTURES

Mr. Moshe Sharett, M.K., to the U.S. and Canada for a two-week lecture tour on behalf of the U.J.A. (by El Al).

Mr. Oved Ben-Ami and Mr. Michael Rosner, of the Ashdod Company, to Zurich and Vienna to examine proposals for setting up industrial concerns in Ashdod.

The 22 players of the Goteburg football team from Sweden after playing matches of which th won one, drew two and lost one. (both by B.E.A.).

TWELVE-YEAR-OLD Liora Rivlin was the protagonist of Bertolt Brecht's play, "The Visions of Simone Marchand," which was given its first Hebrew performance by Habimah Theatre in Tel Aviv last night. Mr. Meir Margalith, who recently went over to Habimah, played the main male part.

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MUNICIPAL by-laws prohibiting smoking and discarding litter in public halls in Hadera, Givatayim and Rishon le Zion were gazetted on Thursday after being approved by the Minister of Interior.

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AN OFFICIAL who was formerly in charge of the Ministry of Education food warehouse in Jaffa was brought on Friday before the Tel Aviv District Court on charges of stealing goods under his care valued at IL1,500. He pleaded not guilty. *(Itim)*

The Struggle for Independence

March 16, 1948

The Big Four agreed in principle that outside intervention in Palestine represented a threat to international peace. In this spirit Russia, France and the U.S. decided to report to the Security Council that Arabs were infiltrating into Palestine in an attempt to prevent the implementation of the Partition Programme.

Fifty-three detainees, some of whom had spent more than three years behind barbed wire, were released from the Atlit detention camp.

Jordanians Return Two Israelis

Jordanians on Friday returned two Israelis who inadvertently crossed the lines. They are Bianka Shafika, 62, of Jerusalem, and Gaber Shaker, 17, of Abu Ghosh.

The woman, an inmate of the St. Vincent Home, crossed the lines on March 9. She was returned immediately to the institution.

Shaker crossed the border in the Abu Tor Quarter with a friend on February 2. During his detention he was interrogated. His friend is still being held.

Death of Yoav Zuckerman

The death occurred in Gedera yesterday of Yoav Zuckerman, at the age of 69.

He was a son of one of the founders of Gedera and was himself active in purchasing land for Jewish settlements in the south. In 1911 he left Gedera for the U.S. and resided in Boston until his return to this country in 1925.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Joseph (who is now on a visit to the U.S.) and Herbert who resides in Vermont. They are on their way to Israel to attend the funeral.

Noemi Schnitzer
(Ramat Gan—Schunat Hillel)

Capt. Dan Tadmor
(I.A.F.)
(Peter Taussig)

MARRIED

Israel Buys 10,000 Tons of Meat

Ten thousand tons of meat have been purchased overseas by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry. Of this, 3,200 tons will reach Israel before the end of April from Brazil and Argentina. The remainder will arrive during the period from May to August.

This was announced in Jerusalem on Friday by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry spokesman.

There will also be sufficient quantities of fruit and vegetables available, the spokesman said, and consumers are asked not to pay more than the official prices.

Heruti's Plea For Bail Rejected

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — District Judge N. Barzakay yesterday rejected Ya'acov Heruti's request to be released on bail pending his appeal before the Supreme Court against his imprisonment for 18 months on charges of defaming a Magistrate. The Judge did not amplify his decision.

Mr. Y. Aderet, counsel for Heruti, announced that he would appeal Judge Barzakay's decision before the President of the Supeme Court, Justice Y. Olshan, tomorrow.

Heruti has been in prison since last March, when he was arrested on charges of leading a terrorist organization and was refused bail. Mr. Aderet claimed that it was customary to release prisoners for good behaviour after the completion of two-thirds of their sentence, and Heruti had completed that period.

Mr. Y. Bar Or, for the Attorney General, objected to Heruti's release and claimed that the custom of granting automatic parole after two-thirds of the sentence had been served was discontinued in 1954.

Goldstein, Halprin State Aims Of New G.Z. Confederation

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The World Confederation of General Zionists, with a membership of about half a million in 22 countries, has reorganized as a purely Diaspora organization on the principle of non-identification with any political party in Israel.

This decision was taken at the founding conference of the reorganized body held in London last week, it was explained to a press conference given in Jerusalem on Friday by Dr. Israel Goldstein and Mrs. Rose Halprin, co-chairmen of the new Executive.

They termed the organization a "turning point" in the Zionist movement which come in reaction to the efforts of the General Zionist Party in Israel to seek closer ties between the world movement and the party in Israel, the press was told.

Mrs. Halprin said she expressed the opinion of the majority of American Jews and certainly the Zionists among them when she declared that only the citizens of the State had the right to determine the political, economic and social complexion of their daily lives. American Zionists wanted to help Israel and have a relationship with the State on broad principles but they did not feel they could assume the privileges of Israel citizens, she stated.

"Not Our Job"

"Say the General Zionists merged with Herut — we would be involved with a party that has a purely political approach to the elections, and that's not our job," Mrs. Halprin declared.

Organizations included in the re-formed body are Hadassah in the U.S.; the Zionist Federation of Great Britain and Ireland, 12 Latin American Zionist groups as well as groups in Europe and North Africa.

In reply to a question, the speakers said that Dr. Nahum Goldmann, Chairman of the World Zionist Organisation, in a cable to the London meeting, expressed his support for the principle of non-identification with political parties.

Members of the new Executive include Dr. Miriam Freund, (Hadassah President), Mrs. Charlotte Jacobson, Mrs. Judith Epstein and Judge Louis Leventhal of the United States; Dr. A. Fastlicht, of Mexico; Mr. J. Bronfman, of Argentina; Mr. B. Janner and Mr. L. Bakstansky, of Great Britain, and Mr. M. Popiel of France.

The platform adopted by the Confederation calls for the fullest cooperation between the Zionist movement and the State in the upbuilding of Israel.

It calls also for conditions to be established that will lead to encouragement of private enterprise, and the investment of private capital "which are essential for the healthy development of the State."

Backing for Zionist-oriented Jewish Day schools and the education of youth toward pioneering and immigration are included as "important parts" of the platform. Full support is accorded to the Hanoar Hazioni youth movement as well as other Zionist youth groups.

Present at the press conference were Dr. Fastlicht, who is Chairman of the Federation branch in Central American and Caribbean countries and Mr. K. Sultanik, Executive Director of the organization.

Galili Backs Labour Schools, Young People for Land

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — Ahdut Ha'avoda emerged as a fighting Socialist group in the speeches of its leaders during the past two days of the Party's conference currently going on at the Chamber Theatre Hall here.

Zionism, in apposition to Socialism, was touched on only to a lesser degree and mainly by the party's elder statesmen, such as the Minister of the Interior, Mr. Bar-Yehuda.

Ahdut Ha'avoda's own brand of socialism was explained by Mr. Israel Galili, who added that solidarity between workers all over the world was more important than any other aspect of international relations.

"We are not a Communist party," Mr. Galili said. Although Marxist teachings were still the basis of Socialist thought, Marx has been overtaken by subsequent thinkers.

"In any case, we are not obliged to swallow Marx word for word — we do not accept for instance, Marx's ideas on the Jewish people," Mr. Galili said. It is those who have uncritically supported everything done in Soviet Russia who have done most to discredit Socialism, he charged.

Mr. Galili said that the revelations of the 20th Congress of the Russian Communist Party were "a promise that the Stalinist atrocities would not happen again."

Western Socialism, he said, was rather on the decline. A welfare state was not Socialism, for Socialism meant "fighting for the working class," he maintained.

School Trends Urged

Reestablishment of the Labour school trend, Government monopoly over essential imports, and transfer of ten per cent of white collar workers to production are the main points in the Party's social and economic programme which was outlined by the Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Ze'ev Tzur, during yesterday's morning session.

Mr. Tzur criticized the lack of initiative on the part of private enterprise, pointing out that private investment had declined, despite Government encouragement, from $17.5m. in 1955 to $2.5m. in 1957.

Although productivity had risen, only 45 per cent of our labour force was employed in productive occupation, he went on. Similarly, manpower was wasted — not only of older workers, but of women only a quarter of whom worked outside their homes, compared to 45 per cent of Russian and 40 per cent of West European women.

The Party's economic platform stressed control of essential imports, restriction of middlemen's profits and abolition of wage differentials.

Ahdut Ha'avoda's case against the other two labour parties was put by the Minister of the Interior, Mr. Y. Bar-Yehuda. He declared: "Our experience in the Government and the Histadrut has shown that when the other parties (Mapai and Mapam) speak of unity, they really mean uniformity." He challenged the thesis of Dr. G. Josephthal, Mapai Secretary General, that "the Labour front Government had brought us nearer to a Socialist society." The increased gap between maximum and minimum wages had taken us further from this aim, he stated.

Although Ahdut Ha'avoda should not remain out of office, it would be self-betrayal to sacrifice ideological independence, Mr. Y. Ben-Aharon, the Party Political Secretary, declared during the evening session.

Mr. Ben-Aharon, attacking Mapai's policy of attracting private capital, said that the private sector was "rotten capitalism, the cancer of our social-economic life."

He accused Mapai of wanting to "sell out" the labour economy to private capital. The lack of labour unity would bring the right into power with the consequent oppression of the working class, he forecast.

Parties Attacked

The conference debate centred around attacks on the other two labour parties, calls for the abolition of wage differentials specifically for engineers and doctors, and echoes the plan for democratic control of Histadrut economic enterprises.

An attack on the military government was made by Hanna Farraj, a Haifa member of the Party's Arab Division. The military government prevented the Arab minority from becoming a bridge for peace with the neighbouring countries, he said.

The theoretician of Ahdut Ha'avoda, Mr. Yitzhak Tabenkin, unexpectedly spoke this afternoon, though scheduled to speak tomorrow evening.

He said the Jewish people had to choose between dispersion and concentration in Israel, while Israelis had to choose between congregating in towns or distribution of the population in the Negev. Similarly, all were faced with the choice of either striving for diplomas and personal well-being, or living according to ideals.

The administration should not be allowed to employ people below the age of 35, he said. The younger generation should be employed in productive work.

Rain in West Negev

BEERSHEBA, Saturday. — Light rain fell in Beersheba yesterday with heavier downfalls being reported from the Western Negev. Although crops in the drought-stricken eastern Negev have been given up as lost, there is still hope for the fields in the western areas.

TWO RESIDENTS of Herzliya foiled a suicide attempt by a 17-year-old girl there, when they succeeded in rushing her to hospital after she had swallowed a considerable quantity of antiseptic.

National Insurance Dues Not to Go Up

National Insurance dues will not be raised, following a decision of the National Insurance Institute Council meeting in Jerusalem.

The Council did, however, propose that 0.2 per cent of the maternity insurance branch fund—a sum of IL.2m.—be transferred to the Old Age and Survivors branch. It also proposed that the Finance Ministry be asked to grant the Institute a sum of IL2m. These amounts would provide the necessary funds for the Old Age and Survivors branch in the meantime, and the question of increased dues would be raised again in six months' time.

The proposed 1958/59 budget was also approved at the meeting. This provides that pensions amounting to IL.41.2m. will be paid out during the coming year, and IL24,750,000 will be paid out in old age and survivors pensions. Victims of work accidents will receive IL9.2m. and maternity grants will amount to IL7,250,000.

The Institute's income will reach IL56m. during this period, IL33m. of which will be paid by employers, IL15m. by wage-earners and IL8m. by self-employed persons.

IL 60,000 Libel Suit Against 'Haolam Hazeh'

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — Mr. Neuman (Eli) Geller, a Tel Aviv film producer who was charged by "Haolam Hazeh" with using his acting studio as a front for luring girls into prostitution, yesterday instituted a libel suit for IL60,000 in damages against the weekly, its printer and one of its distributors.

In the suit filed before the Tel Aviv District Court, he claims that the charges were completely untrue and resulted in the failure of his business, his present unemployment, and inability to find another place to live after he was forced to give up his flat.

Geller states that he was interviewed in his office last June by four persons who introduced themselves as "Haolam Hazeh" reporters. He claims that he later met one of them, Alexander Ben-David, who tried to blackmail him with a story of his alleged misdoings. When he phoned the magazine in protest he was told that Ben-David had been handed over to the police for interrogation, he added.

Following this, the magazine published a series of four articles, which, he claims, destroyed his reputation and forced him to close his studio and actors' school. *(Itim)*

LAW OF LIMITATIONS: 15 YEARS NOT 50

The draft amendment of the Ottoman Law of Limitations provides for an increase of the period for which farmers who have no title deed must prove continuous tenure from ten years to fifteen years and not 50 as was reported erroneously on Friday. The period of 50 years had at one time been suggested (as was reported at the time) but the Mapai Knesset faction have decided to propose to the Knesset fixing the period at 15 years.

Ministers Postpone Travel Tax Talks

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Economic Ministers Committee, which was to have met today to continue discussions on the raising of an additional IL5m. by increasing taxes on foreign travel tickets and increasing fees on exit visas and passports, has postponed the session. The Government-Jewish Agency Coordinating Committee will be meeting at that time in view of the opening of the Zionist General Council sessions which begin on Tuesday.

It is understood that the Economic Ministers are inclined to raise the tax on travel tickets from the present 33 per cent to 40 per cent. The tax will apply to tickets paid for in foreign currency as well as to those purchased with Israel pounds. Up to now the tax applied only to the latter.

It is planned that the new tax should take effect on April 1, and that it be paid by those travelling after that date, even if their tickets had been purchased before then.

The suggestion for raising the fee for exit visas to IL100 or IL150 has been dropped, and it is believed that they will cost no more than IL25. Passports are also likely to cost IL25.

'BARBER OF SEVILLE' IN TEL AVIV TONIGHT

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The first performance of the "Barber of Seville" by the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra and five foreign operatic singers of world renown will be held tonight at the Mann Auditorium, under the baton of conductor Carlo Maria Giulini of La Scala. It is learned that two local artists, Miss Rema Samsonoff and Mr. Ephraim Biran, will also appear in the opera.

National League Leaders Draw in Goalless Game

Jerusalem Post Staff

In the opening games in the second round in the National League, leaders Tel Aviv Maccabi yesterday repeated their goalless draw with Petah Tikva Hapoel of last week, on the latter's ground, to retain their top place. Meanwhile, Haifa Maccabi travelled to Natanya to beat their clubmates, 3-0. These results put the Haifa side into second spot in the table on goal average.

The game at Petah Tikva attracted 8,000 spectators, and was fairly even with both teams getting in some fast and clever play in the first half. Tel Aviv got together better than their hosts in the second period, with goal-keeper Dori, backs Ling and Matania, and centre-forward Glaser, aided by Rafi Levy, in great form. Right-half Haldi and forwards Nahari and Rasabi were the mainstays of the Petah Tikva side.

Goalie Drops Ball

Haifa Maccabi took the lead at Natanya when the home goalie, Caspi, dropped the ball when in the goal-mouth. Centre-forward Levy netted No. 2 in the second period. Jaffa Maccabi, at home to Jerusalem Hapoel, drew 1:1 before 3,000 fans. The home team was the better side throughout. Manesh, Jerusalem inside-right scored the first goal in the 7th minute. Jaffa's centre-forward, Shneor, equalised five minutes before the end.

Petah Tikva Maccabi well deserved their 2:0 win over Tel Aviv Hapoel on the Jaffa Hapoel ground. They led 1-0 at half-time. Amnon Carmeli, inside-right, the first player on the field, scoring in the 12th minute. Inside-left, Borstein added the second in the 83rd minute.

Haifa Hapoel beat Kfar Saba Hapoel, 2:0, before 5,000 fans at the City Stadium in one of the most dramatic and exciting matches seen in Haifa for sometime. The home team won thanks to its stronger attacks and field control. But the visitors revealed themselves as a first-class, fighting eleven, putting great effort into their play. Their attacks became extremely dangerous towards the close of the match.

The Kfar Saba defence distinguished itself, and goalie Vozniak was outstanding, saving many dangerous situations, often stopping shots from Tchiakovski and his mates in the Haifa forward line.

The goals were scored by Haifa's two inside-forwards, Prasalnik in the 45th minute, and Shneid in the 88th.

Eisenbaum, the player acquired recently by Tel Aviv Betar from Tel Aviv Maccabi where he played right-half, made his debut with his new team against Ramat Gan Hapoel. He played a steady game, and scored the first goal for his side. The result was a 2-2 draw.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	GP.	G.A.	Pts.
T.A. Mac.	12	20: 8	19
Haifa Mac.	13	27:11	18
P.T. Hap.	13	20:12	18
R. Gan Hap.	12	14:13	14
Haifa Hap.	13	21:17	13
J'lem Hap.	13	13:16	11
Natanya Mac.	13	14:17	11
Jaffa Mac.	13	14:19	11
Petah T. Mac.	13	19:24	9
T.A. Hap.	13	16:26	9
K. Saba Hap.	13	15:31	6
T.A. Betar	13	14:25	5

OTHER RESULTS: League "A": T.A. Hakoah 3, Kiryat Haim Hap. 1; Mahane Yehuda Hap. 4, Sha'arayim Mac. 1; J'lem Betar 3, Rehovot Hap. 1; T.A. Shimshon 2, Hadera Mac. 0; Rehovot Mac. 2, Hadera Hap. 0; Afula Hap. 1, T.A. Bnei Yehuda 1. Reserve Lge.: Haifa Hap. 2, Kfar Saba Hap. 0. Basketball: Tel Aviv Mac. 73, Mishmar Hanegev Hap. 53; Holon Hap. 54, T.A. Hap. 53; Haifa Mac. 67, Ashdod Ya'acov Hap. 42. Handball: Petah T. Mac. 6, Petah T. Hap. 6; Mac. Ramat Gan 9; Rehovot Hap. 8; T.A. Mac. 8, Rishon Mac. 6; Rehovot Mac. 10, Hasafon Mac. 6.

HADAD WINS

HAIFA, Saturday. — Some 120 runners from all over the country competed in the Carmel races, held in the streets of Mt. Carmel this morning. Eliyahu Hadad, of the Border Police, won the main event, the 5,000 meter race, in 16 mins. 9.8 secs.

Murder in Little Triangle

Jerusalem Post Reporter

KFAR SABA, Saturday. — A 28-year-old Arab, Abdul Habib, of Kafr Margi, near Tayibeh in the Little Triangle, was murdered last night when a group of three men burst into his home and one of them attacked him with an axe.

His wife told police that the men, who were long-standing enemies of her husband, continued striking him as he lay on the floor until he died. The Sharon police, who spent all day combing the area, arrested three suspects this evening.

The victim leaves a wife and five children.

BOY OF 10 HURT BY GRENADE

BEERSHEBA, Saturday. — Ya'acov Eliyahu, 10, was injured yesterday afternoon when a hand grenade which he found in Wadi Beersheba exploded.

The child was taken to the Hadassah Hospital and his condition is reported to be satisfactory. *(Itim)*

T.A. Rates: Special Council Meeting

TEL AVIV, Saturday. — A special session of the Council management is convened for tomorrow in view of the refusal of the Ministry of the Interior to authorize the local rate increase.

'Cocoa' Group Hits Kitchen Hygiene

The Inquiry Committee set up to investigate the poisoning of some 700 schoolchildren in Jerusalem on January 28, has issued a report in which it found that the direct cause of poisoning were enterotoxins caused by bacteria (staphylococcus aureus haemolyticus).

This was found in the cocoa prepared by the Municipality's central kitchen in the Anaf Haim school in the Bak'a quarter. This school cooks 2,100 meals for 10 other schools, mainly in southern Jerusalem.

The report states that this type of bacteria can exist everywhere and especially under the unsanitary conditions existing in this kitchen. The preparation of the milk solution for the cocoa on the day before it was used, after which it was left uncovered overnight; in addition to the high temperature in the kitchen, gave the bacteria enough time to multiply and produce the enterotoxin.

It also became apparent to the committee that there was no coordination between the various bodies responsible for the sanitary conditions in the kitchen, and none of them held itself directly responsible for its condition.

The Committee strongly recommended that the Jerusalem Municipality complete the building of the kitchen which was begun a year ago, and equip it suitably.

It also suggested that a special committee be set up to draw up a set of regulations for sanitary conditions children in kitchens serving school.

1 Killed, Many Hurt At Weekend

This week-end brought an upswing in the number of traffic accidents reported. The worst occurred at Ness Ziona on Friday, when Luba Plotnick, 20, was killed by an army tender as she was crossing the main road. The driver, Haim Cohen of Rehovot, was detained.

She had been walking together with her parents, who witnessed the accident.

In Jerusalem, four occupants of a taxi were injured, two of them seriously, when the car crashed into the wall of a house on the Bethlehem road. The two seriously injured, Menahem Savir, 21, and Miss Lea Morris, 21, were taken to the Hadassah Hospital.

In Ramle on Friday an army tender hit Moshe Zacks, 22, of Kibbutz Sha'albim, while he was riding on his scooter. He was taken to the Assaf Harofe Hospital. On the same day a scooter ridden by Reuven Salomon hit Mrs. Dvora Levy, 53, of Ramle. She returned home after being treated for her injuries.

Another accident was recorded in Ramle on Friday when a truck driven by Itio Leder, of Natanya, fell into a cesspool and seriously injured Muhammed el Nadra, 64. He was taken to the Assaf Harofe Hospital.

Four soldiers and a civilian were injured in a collision between an army truck and a truck belonging to the Public Works Division, on the Plugot Road on Friday afternoon. They were taken to the Hadassah Hospital in Beersheba for treatment and later sent home.

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SAFE FLYING

FOR all practical purposes, the "arms plane" incident is over. The mystery which veiled it at first was lifted by the Prime Minister in his statement in the Knesset almost a fortnight ago. The Flying Fortress has by now returned to Lydda, minus its cargo. The French official spokesmen stressed that their Government had no doubt that the arms impounded were, in fact, destined for a Latin American republic, and M. Gilbert, the Ambassador of France, yesterday paid a friendly visit to Mr. Peres, the Director-General of the Ministry of Defence, thus gently closing the door behind an incident which evoked more internal dissent in France and Israel than it even remotely warranted.

We are not concerned here with internal tension in France. Differences of opinion are permitted in a democracy, and it is France's own affair what degree of right to differ she permits her national representatives. It is, however, significant that the storm in a teacup which the Bone incident raised at the Palais Bourbon was still activating public opinion here this past week after it had already been quietly forgotten in Paris. Political masochism is a pronounced feature of public opinion here, and it is set in motion by professional politicians and their newspaper mouthpieces. Why should they take a statement by the Prime Minister of Israel at its face value when they can quote avowed anti-Israel sources abroad for all sorts of unproved allegations involving Israel's prestige?

The natural reaction of normal public opinion in the face of slander, or even doubts as to the effectiveness of its national machinery, is first to fight back in unison, and then to look for the culprits. The Bone arms plane provoked an entirely different reaction here. Even before the facts could be ascertained, the scapegoats were sought and found. Differences of opinion between the Ministry of Defence and the Ministry for Foreign Affairs were dragged onto the operating table and dissected by analysts before the lights in the room could yet be switched on. That differences of outlook exist between senior officials of the Foreign Ministry and of the Ministry of Defence is quite natural. The general public usually obtains a glimpse of them 20 years or so after the persons who play the main roles in forging a national policy have passed from the scene. But basically, strong personalities — and it is good for a nation to have strong personalities at its helm — press hard for their own opinions. The innumerable memoirs published by statesmen and soldiers ever since the Romans bear witness to this. In well-run governments, however, such differences of opinion are kept out of the public eye while the operation in question is in progress, and only the results are communicated for public opinion to judge. Practice has shown that too much publicity given to motives and modes hinders the making of a decision.

A story, now going the rounds, is told about a worrying mother who cautioned her pilot son to fly low and fly slowly — while every newcomer to aviation knows that that is the most dangerous way to fly. Those familiar with defence problems here have often recommended "high flying" in spite of the risks which more careful policy-makers would attempt to avoid. On the other hand, the former have realized by now that flying high still involves flying over some territory or other, while the latter have learned something from modern dynamics: namely that there is no safe flying without good maintenance work on the ground.

Singapore: Gateway to Indonesia

CITY OF INTRIGUE

By DENNIS BLOODWORTH

SINGAPORE (OFNS). — SINGAPORE, an ethnic chop-suey of Chinese, Malays, Indians and Europeans, where extortion, gang war and kidnapping are popular pastimes, has never been a humdrum city. But with the vast neighbouring Republic of Indonesia split untidily by rebellion, there is a new and urgent vein of activity here.

To say that Singapore has become the Lisbon of South-east Asia is really to understate the case. It is not only the neutral city in which agents of the warring factions in Indonesia can plot in peace. It is the bottleneck through which the traffic of all sides passes — the loaded Government ships, the rebel blockade-runners, the telegrams, money, men and secrets. It is the Grand Central Station for Ministers of the "Revolutionary Government" in Sumatra, for officials of the Central Government in Jakarta, for agents of the outlawed Darul Islam guerrillas who are fighting the National Army all over Indonesia but are not allied to the rebels. They travel to and from all parts of the world through here to negotiate loans, sell rubber, buy rice and arms.

Meanwhile, from Singapore's harbour, across the masts and funnels of a hundred freighters many of whose captains are tight-lipped about their destinations and cargoes, the first small islands of the explosive Indonesian Republic are visible.

Commando Instruction

Not unnaturally, perhaps, the working day is not without incident. One of the fixtures in an otherwise well-appointed bar leans across to whisper: "We'll pay 25 bucks an hour to any ex-commando type who knows his stuff and can run a small school for our boys. You know, booby traps, limpet mines, sand in the petrol, all that. These Government gunboats from Jakarta are frightening off our Chinese shippers." Three blocks away an immaculate business executive slams down his telephone receiver in disgust. "I'd got everything fixed to send those 200 Jeeps to North Celebes and now the Revolutionary Government wants half of them in Padang."

In Raffles Place a wiry Achinese from North Sumatra turns suddenly in his walk and grasps the shoulder of his follower: "If you have to shadow me, you might as well do it in comfort. Come and have a coffee and talk things over." He is an agent of the rebel Darul Islam, his startled shadow an "employee" of the Indonesian Consulate-General.

Out at the airport an unobtrusive arrival from Manila slips out of the customs hall and is met by six men, all wearing dark glasses. Onlookers are shouldered aside. He is rushed to a waiting car which shakes off pursuit in a 100-kilometre-an-hour dash for a hideout in the city. The man is Major Jan Pantouw, close adviser to Lieut-Col. Ventje Sumual, one of Indonesia's rebel "young colonels."

The Indonesian Government, which is known to dispose of 11 patrol boats between Singapore and rebel Central Sumatra, is holding up some 10 cargo vessels suspected of smuggling to the dissidents. Singapore merchants, some of whom were earlier making 300 per cent profit on barter deals with the rebels, are now chary of sending their ships through the blockade and risking losses or delays that may cost them up to £200,000 a time.

Rebel Needs

But the rebels need rice, vehicles, machinery and arms, and they have rubber and copra to sell. Ships are still getting through, although shippers are waiting with some misgiving to see what happens when the Indonesian Navy is reinforced by five frigates purchased from Italy. Claiming a new 12-mile territorial water limit for themselves, Indonesian patrol boats have on at least two occasions entered Singapore waters in an ineffectual attempt to seize blockade-runners as they made for the open sea.

Meanwhile in the city the rebels are organizing themselves. Dr. Sumitro, "Revolutionary" Minister for Commerce and Communications, who has a smart flat in Singapore's River Valley Road, has created a permanent bureau here to coordinate all purchases and sales for the rebel areas, appointing an Indonesian-Chinese economist as its director. Six trading companies which have been acting for the rebels will operate through this bureau. An impressive account has been opened in one of Singapore's largest banks to finance all deals. A millionaire Chinese *entrepreneur*, with branches all over the world, has been incorporated into the rebel trading system. The rebels have at least five residential hideouts in Singapore for visiting VIPs, offices in three of the city's swagger commercial blocks, and equipment on order for two-way radio contact with the "Revolutionary Government" in Indonesia.

The Darul Islam are using Penang, in the Federation of Malaya, as a leave base for their guerrilla commanders. Their couriers are constantly moving through Singapore from Indonesia, London, Paris and the U.S. Their senior liaison officer, Abdullah Taher Hussein Tyrconnel-Fay is the Moslem Irish-Canadian descendant of rebel leaders that resisted the Earl of Essex in Ireland 400 years ago. In one day his "customers" may include a Darul Islam representative from Jakarta itself, Celebes seamen who have smuggled a cargo of Darul Islam copra through the Indonesian Government's blockade, and a senior Darul Islam official loaded with American dollars and false papers straight from Washington.

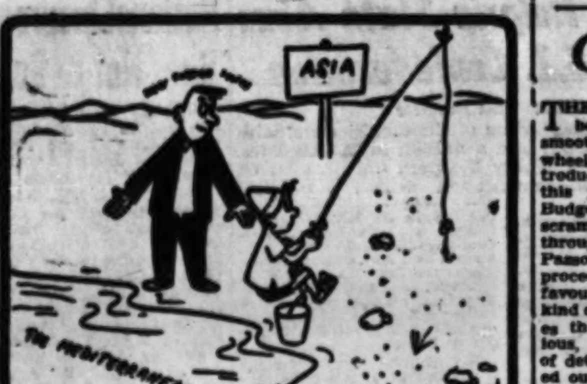
Fast and Confusing

While in at least eight different offices in Singapore Malay telegraphists sit glued to earphones, picking up Morse casts from both Jakarta and Padang, local reports come in thick, fast and confusing. A trusted local representative of the Indonesian Central Government is secretly offering passages by fast launch to the rebel area.

Rebel agents have tried to approach the British Commissioner-General for South-east Asia for arms. A Darul Islam officer has been assaulted by two unknown thugs in one of Singapore's smartest restaurants. An international arms dealer has just flown in from Bangkok. A courier from the Defence Minister of the "Revolutionary Government" has arrived by sea. A rebel envoy has just taken off for Copenhagen. The Darul Islam and the Sumatran military junta are negotiating a secret alliance in a flat off Orchard Road.

A newspaper correspondent can be forgiven for wanting to move elsewhere for a little peace and quiet. He has the choice of two excellent places where the atmosphere is reliably reported to be refreshingly calm by comparison — Jakarta or Padang.

A REASONABLE PROPOSAL



Friday's Press

Arms and Politics

Ha'aretz (non-party) writes that while the Israel Army has the right to sell surplus arms to whomsoever it pleases, view should not be lost of the fact that such deals must necessarily take political considerations into account. The decision as to whom to contact and whom not to contact in the case of such deals should not be entrusted to the Defence Ministry alone. If this Ministry and the Foreign Ministry find themselves unable to come to an agreement, it is for the Government to decide and not leave the matter to an official of one of the Ministries to implicate the State in political complications such as those created between Israel and France on account of the arms plane's landing in Algeria.

Mr. Menahem Begin, in the paper **"Herut"** calls for a Parliamentary inquiry into the arms plane affair and say that full answers must be given to several relevant questions which affect not only Franco-Israel amity but are greatly important to us as a nation. The Government too should be interested in clarifying the matter lest more shadows be cast upon its trustworthiness.

Davar (Histadrut) writes that the French press has shown a high degree of maturity and disposed of the matter beyond the shadow of a doubt. But **Davar** cannot give the local press a high mark for its behaviour, for instead of seeing to it that the incident is disposed of rapidly and quietly, both the Right opposition and the Left inside the Government challenged the matter so that even France's doubts were awakened. This affair has revealed how many mines are hidden in the field of international relations and how poisonous the public atmosphere in Israel is. We have quickly overcome attempts to vitiate Franco-Israel relations; when will the atmosphere in Israel be cleared?

Gaza Strip Status

Al Hamishmar (Mapam) writes that it is not our business to interfere with affairs in the Gaza Strip, which is under the security aegis of UN and under Egyptian civil rule, so long as Cairo does not violate the *status quo*. But it must be clear to all concerned that once it steps beyond that bound and sets up a "Palestine State" or a "Government in Exile" in any part of the Strip, Israel's basic interests are immediately affected.

Omer (Histadrut) explains that Nasser's sudden decision to give up plans for a Palestine State is directed at the ex-Mufti of Jerusalem, whose plans are no less ambitious than the dictator's, seeking as he does the leadership of an adumbrated Moslem Empire, like Nasser himself. There is no doubt that in addition to this Abdul Nasser has been forced to take what might be a sharp reaction by Israel, the Arabs and the Powers into consideration and that it is he who decided against the "Palestine State."

Hatzofeh (World Mizrahi) discusses the important functions of the Ministry of Religious Affairs and writes that despite aspersions cast on it by non-orthodox quarters, the Ministry is instrumental in bringing together both the religious and non-religious sections of the nation by doing its best to ease tension between them and promote co-existence.

Parliamentary Report — *By Lea Ben Dor*

Columbus Egg in Budget Debate

THE Budget Debate has been bowling along smoothly and fast on the wheels of the new system introduced for the first time this year. In the past the Budget was an annual scramble that had to be got through by the time the Passover recess loomed. The procedure was top-heavy and favoured the delivery of the kind of basic-platform speeches that have become so tedious, and genuine discussion of details tended to be crowded out, especially towards the end.

First, the Minister of Finance delivered his opening speech outlining general tax policy and indicating any major changes in expenditure. Because there is never enough money, much of this speech is always devoted to an exhortation to the Israel public to realize that they are running into debt. Some years the remedy proposed is reduced consumption: this year it was the more hopeful one of increased output and exports. This speech is traditionally followed by a full debate on Government policy; as traditionally, Mapam ask for more taxes from the mythical rich, the General Zionists suggest that money can be saved by leaving development projects to private enterprise, and the Communists say that if we cut out the Army and the Police the masses would not have to pay such heavy taxes.

Basic Discussion

THIS part of the debate took place as usual. Even if it is routine, it is one of the most important discussions of basic government policy in the year. It is true that life in the cities and the established villages could be easier today if the Government were not pouring millions into roads to Eilat and Sdom, into water pipe-lines through the Negev and such projects as the Timna copper mine, in the hope that this investment will some day help to make us able to pay our way. It is a basic question and it is no waste of time to force each party to take stock once more at this time every year and decide for themselves what are the national priorities.

After that, in previous years, and as part of the First Reading, each Minister in turn reported on the doings of his department during the past year, followed by several hours of debate. When the First Reading had been completed in this way, and voted upon, the budget went to the Finance Committee for study and in due course was returned, with a small number of agreed amendments and a large number of amendments proposed by the various opposition parties. Amendments agreed on by the Committee were then presented and explained, sometimes at inordinate length, by the chairman of the Committee, Mr. Guri, who has become as much of a fixture in that position as the great portrait of Herzl that hangs over the Speaker's platform. The amendment were supported by their sponsors; occasionally other speakers added their observations, and the Minister concerned sometimes took the floor again.

In the end Mr. Guri rose to say why the amendments proposed by the opposition members had not been accepted by the Committee as a whole, and put them to the vote. Unless too many members of the Coalition parties were occupied elsewhere the amendments were then rejected and the Budget voted upon paragraph by paragraph. This done, the way had been paved for the formality of the Third Reading, in which the bill was passed as a whole.

Time Not Used

THIS system proved unsatisfactory in several respects. The First Reading was confined to generalities, and while these are in place in the discussion of the budget as a whole, they produced little that was useful in the discussions of the work of the various ministries. Time was allocated according to parties. Some important points were raised, but the discussion was inevitably superficial because speakers felt they must cover the whole field of the ministry concerned.

Towards the end interest in the debate tailed off, the parties had had their say, and the full time was not usually taken up because it was getting too late. In the meantime the Finance Committee had begun the serious work on the budget, with little regard for the political platitudes voiced in the plenum. When the budget was returned to the House the floor was in effect given over to the Opposition for the presentation of its amendments. The Coalition parties had little part to play, and the entire Second Reading turned into a wearying battle between Mr. Guri and the supporters of endless amendments that could only be passed by accident, like a champion chess player engaged with half a dozen opponents simultaneously who still knew they had no chance of winning. A good deal of time was expended on this procedure and little emerged that was useful.

This time it was agreed that the debates on the ministries should be reserved for the Second Reading and held together with the discussion of the amendments. This has not only saved some 20 hours of debating time but turned the Second Reading into a more lively affair. The Coalition has benefited because it is taking part in the discussion on a time-per-member basis. The Opposition has benefited because extra time is allocated for the amendments. The public will benefit in the long run because owing to the raising of the amendments there has been more tendency to discuss practical details rather than philosophical implications.

Streamlining Further

The change was worked out by stages in the Knesset and Finance Committees because earlier budget debates had proved so unwieldy, and apparently for once nobody suspected that their party was being discriminated against. Even Mr. Yohanan Bader, the chief finance expert for the opposition declares he is satisfied with the result. He believes that the procedure could be streamlined still further, and the discussion of the Health Ministry, for instance skipped, in order to leave more time and attention for the economic ministries. Why had he in so many cases proposed nominal reductions of IL1 as formal amendments? He shrugged a shoulder in reply. What could he do if the other opposition parties submitted amendments? Say nothing and look like a Mapainik?

BUT it is a red-letter day in the Knesset when everybody, from left to right, can agree on a major change of procedure.

Readers' Letters

CLEANLINESS OF JERUSALEM

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — We are pleased to note from letters which have recently appeared in your columns that many citizens are eager to submit suggestions on how to raise standards of cleanliness in our cities.

We should like all Jerusalem residents to know that the Hovevei Yerushalayim organization has been constantly discussing with the Municipality the introduction and enforcement of by-laws which would impress upon citizens and Municipal workers alike the fact that improvement can be achieved only through mutual co-operation. In addition to the imposition of fines, as suggested in these letters, we have submitted the following proposals to the Municipality:

1. A by-law requiring residents to clean up entrances, front and backyards.
2. The employment of some women inspectors whose task it would be to report to the municipality on necessary repairs in streets and public places; and the organization of a training course for all Municipal inspectors and other workers.
3. An intensive radio campaign explaining the by-laws already in force and new ones as they are adopted (most of these might be applicable to all our cities and are therefore of nation-wide interest).

Jerusalemites are also invited to send their complaints in writing to us, at the Touring Club, or to P.O.B. 1386. A new arrangement has been made to ensure the attention of the various municipal departments to all communications received by Hovevei Yerushalayim.

Yours, etc.
E. MICHAELIS
Chairman, Hovevei Yerushalayim
Jerusalem, February 25.

LOCATION OF DUSTBINS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — In reply to your reader's letter of February 13 concerning dustbins, we should like to point out that the following steps have been taken by the municipality in this matter:

1. A by-law has been passed in accordance with which the sanitary inspector is given authority to decide where the dustbins should be kept, and this at the back of the building, or at any rate in a place not visible to the passer-by.
2. The place for the dustbins must be noted in every building plan (and this must be at the back of the building).
3. Wherever space for the dustbins was fixed at the front of the building (not with our consent, of course), we demand that these be removed to the inside courtyard.

These steps are the second stage, the first being the Municipality's putting dustbins in the many buildings where landlords have not provided these.

In all these matters, warning is first given in writing and then offenders are brought to trial.

Yours, etc.
S BRINKER
Head of the Sanitation Department
Municipality of Jerusalem
Jerusalem, February 23.

CONCERT REVIEW

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — May we take issue with your music critic's review of the last concert of the Jerusalem Chamber Music Society which appeared in the Musical Diary of your paper on March 2?

It is regrettable that your critic so completely disregards both the rules of his profession and good taste by directing an unfair and indiscriminate attack against the performers without making an attempt to base his views on a balanced judgment of the performance. The performers who took part in the concert in question are all well-known and respected artists about whose right to appear on the stage there need be no discussion.

We feel that the concert itself, which was practically sold out, gave proof of the esteem in which these artists are held by an appreciative and discriminating audience.

Yours, etc.
H. JACOBY
Y. SHILO
A. ZEMANEK
CH. BOASSON
L. LEWIN
Jerusalem, March 6.

MUSICAL DIARY

The Kol Yisrael Orchestra, augmented by members of the Israel Defence Forces Symphony Orchestra, Shalom Rikilis, conductor (Y.M.C.A., Jerusalem, March 11). C.Ph.E. Bach: Concerto in D for Orchestra; Bernd Bergel: Variations for Orchestra (First Performance); Dvorak: Symphony No. 5 ("From the New World").

CARL Philip Emmanuel Bach, known as the Berlin Bach for his long association with the court music of Frederic II, somehow stands under the shadow of his great father but can hold his own because of many works which point pioneeringly to the future. This concerto in D is more conservative in style, taking its inspiration mainly from Johann Sebastian and Vivaldi. The second movement gave ample occasion for enjoying George Haas's beautiful playing on the English Horn again, and the whole work is in spite of its length a pleasant addition to our repertoire.

Bernd Bergel's "Variations for Orchestra" are written in 12-tone technique, blending traditional contrapuntal devices and modern orchestra colours with an experienced hand. As far as can be gathered from one hearing, the workmanship is of a very high level but the musical content leaves one cold and unmoved if not outright uninterested. The performance seemed to do full justice to the intricacies of the score as a result of thorough rehearsing and precise direction.

The Dvorak Symphony was played conscientiously but without leaving the impression which this wonderful work usually makes on the listener. The interpretation lacked enthusiasm and buoyant direction. The brass section asserted itself too much in places.

Shalom Rikilis showed, as on previous occasions, that he is a hard worker and knows how to rehearse an orchestra although his interpretative power is relatively limited.

Musical Youth Movement

"JEUNESSE Musicale," the organization that has set out to arouse musical interest and understanding amongst our youth by enabling it to participate in a broad range of activities for a low annual membership fee, commences its activities in Jerusalem on Thursday with a concert at the "Y" Auditorium, featuring the University Choir under Meir Harnik, Bracha Eden and Alexander Wolkowisky the duo pianists, and four chamber music ensembles of Jerusalem artists who have all volunteered their services in order to give this educational experiment of great importance a good start. A wide range of plans, covering lectures, study groups, recitals and many other activities, are to follow up this "Parade of Jerusalem Artists," and it is up to our young people to avail themselves of this singular opportunity.

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"	1,000 kWh " " " "	28 " "
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"	90,000 kWh " " " "	20 " "
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